RFA 12-01



CIRM New Faculty Physician Scientist Translational Research Awards Candidate Nomination Form (Amended)

Instructions

Applicant institutions must submit this official CIRM Candidate Nomination Form (CNF) to nominate candidate(s) for a CIRM New Faculty Physician Scientist Translational Research Award. CIRM will accept only one CNF from each institution. This form must be signed by an institutional official who is authorized to nominate candidates on behalf of the entire institution. **This institutional official cannot be a member or alternate member of the ICOC**. The signed original CNF must be submitted by email to RFA1201@cirm.ca.gov and received by CIRM no later than **5:00 p.m. PDT on May 23, 2012.** No exceptions will be made.

Institutional Eligibility

This RFA is open to all academic and other non-profit research institutions in the state of California. Non-profit means either: (1) a governmental entity of the state of California; or (2) a legal entity that is tax exempt under Internal Revenue Code section 501(c)(3) and California Revenue and Taxation Code section 23701d.

The type of applicant institution determines the number of candidates that an institution may nominate to submit an LOI and application. Institutions that have a medical school accredited by the Liaison Committee on Medical Education (LCME) may nominate up to four new physician-scientist faculty members. Applicant institutions without an LCME-accredited medical school may nominate up to two new physician-scientist faculty members.

Applicant institutions must certify the independent status of each nominated candidate. In addition, the applicant institution must certify that each candidate will maintain a minimum of 33% effort on the proposed project throughout the life of the award. As a condition of funding, this minimum commitment cannot be reduced, with or without CIRM approval, notwithstanding any provision of the Grants Administration Policy for Academic and Non-profit Institutions.

Principal Investigator (PI) Eligibility

Candidates for the New Faculty Physician Scientist Translational Research Awards must have an M.D., D.O., or equivalent degree, and, at the time of funding, be licensed to practice medicine in California by a California member of the Federation of State Medical Boards. As of July 10, 2012, candidates must be within six years of the start date of their first independent faculty position. The candidate must be an independent investigator holding a full-time, faculty-level position and must be a paid employee in residence at the applicant institution in California at the time the application is submitted. At academic institutions with tenure tracks, the PI must hold a tenure-track position. The PI must have documented authority from the applicant institution to staff the proposed project as well as documented commitment from the applicant institution to provide laboratory space and shared resources sufficient to carry out the proposed research. Each PI may submit only one application under this RFA. This RFA is not open to investigators who are already a PI or Co-PI on three or more active CIRM awards as of July 10, 2012. This limit includes all CIRM awards that have been approved but not yet closed out, with the exception of the following CIRM RFAs/PAs: Shared Research Labs, Major Facilities, Research Training Awards I & II, Bridges to Stem Cell Research, Disease Team Planning Awards, Disease Team Therapy Development Part I Planning Awards, or Conference Grants.

For more information, please access RFA12-01 at http://www.cirm.ca.gov/grants/default.asp

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Applicant Institution				
If your institution is not in the drop down list, please type it into the box.				
Institution				
Applicant Institution is an academic or non-profit (required) \Criterio Yes \Criterio No \Criterio				
Applicant Institution has an LCME-accredited medical school OYes ONo				
Institutions with a medical school may nominate four candidates, those without may nominate two.				
New Faculty Candidates				
New Faculty Candidate 1				
Name		D	egree	
Title	Email			
New Faculty Candidate 2				
Name		D	Degree	
Title	Email			
New Faculty Candidate 3				
Name		D	egree	
Title	Email			
New Faculty Candidate 4				
Name		D	egree	
Title	Email			
Institutional Official Mailing Address				
Name				
Title	Phone Number			
Address				
City			Zip Code	

I hereby certify that the candidates nominated on this form meet the PI eligibility requirements specified in RFA12-01, CIRM New Faculty Physician Scientist Translational Research Awards, including the requirement that the candidate have independent investigator status and that they are within the first six years of the start of his/her first independent faculty position on July 10, 2012.

Signature